

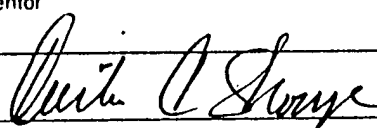
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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

POWER OF ATTORNEY: As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith. *(list name and registration number)*

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Second Inventor's signature	Date
Residence	
Citizenship	
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Declaration and Power of Attorney For Patent Application

English Language Declaration

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled

METHOD OF FABRICATING SECURITY DOOR AND STRUCTURE THEREOF
the specification of which

(check one)

☒ is attached hereto.

☐ was filed on _____ as

Application Serial No. _____

and was amended on _____
(if applicable)

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Prior Foreign Application(s)			Priority Claimed	
_____ (Number)	_____ (Country)	_____ (Day-Month/Year Filed)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
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_____ (Number)	_____ (Country)	_____ (Day-Month/Year Filed)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

VERIFIED STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
(37 CFR 1.9(f) & 1.27(b))--INDEPENDENT INVENTOR

Docket Number (Optional)

T-2988

Applicant or Patented: Curtis C. Shoup

Serial or Patent No.: _____

Filed or Issued: _____

Title: METHOD OF FABRICATING SECURITY DOOR AND STRUCTURE THEREOF

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that I qualify as an independent inventor as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(c) for purposes of paying reduced fees to the Patent and Trademark Office described in:

- ☒ the specification filed herewith with title as listed above.
☐ the application identified above.
☐ the patent identified above.

I have not assigned, granted, conveyed or licensed and am under no obligation under contract or law to assign, grant, convey or license, any rights in the invention to any person who would not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person had made the invention, or to any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d) or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e).

Each person, concern or organization to which I have assigned, granted, conveyed, or licensed or am under an obligation under contract or law to assign, grant, convey, or license any rights in the invention is listed below:

- ☐ No such person, concern, or organization exists.
☒ Each such person, concern or organization is listed below.

Columbia Manufacturing Corporation
14400 South San Pedro Street
Gardena, California 90248

Separate verified statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to the invention averring to their status as small entities. (37 CFR 1.27)

I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 CFR 1.28(b))

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

Curtis C. Shoup

NAME OF INVENTOR

Curtis C. Shoup

Signature of Inventor

Date Nov. 14, 1997

NAME OF INVENTOR

Signature of Inventor

Date

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Date

VERIFIED STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS
(37 CFR 1.9(f) & 1.27(c))--SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN

Docket Number (Optional)

T-2988

Applicant or Patentee: Curtis C. Shoup

Serial or Patent No.: _____

Filed or Issued: _____

Title: METHOD OF FABRICATING SECURITY DOOR AND STRUCTURE THEREOF

I hereby declare that I am

☐ the owner of the small business concern identified below:☒ an official of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of the concern identified below:NAME OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN Columbia Manufacturing CorporationADDRESS OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN 14400 South San Pedro StreetGardena, California 90248

I hereby declare that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 CFR 121.12, and reproduced in 37 CFR 1.9(d), for purposes of paying reduced fees in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, in that the number of employees of the concern, including those of its affiliates, does not exceed 500 persons. For purposes of this statement, (1) the number of employees of the business concern is the average over the previous fiscal year of the concern of the persons employed on a full-time, part-time or temporary basis during each of the pay periods of the fiscal year, and (2) concerns are affiliates of each other when either, directly or indirectly, one concern controls or has the power to control the other, or a third party or parties controls or has the power to control both.

I hereby declare that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern identified above with regard to the invention described in:

☒ the specification filed herewith with title as listed above.☐ the application identified above.☐ the patent identified above.

If the rights held by the above identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern or organization having rights in the invention must file separate verified statements averring to their status as small entities, and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who would not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person made the invention, or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d), or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e).

Each person, concern or organization having any rights in the invention is listed below:

☐ no such person, concern, or organization exists.☒ each such person, concern or organization is listed below.

Separate verified statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to the invention averring to their status as small entities. (37 CFR 1.27)

I acknowledge the duty to file, in this application or patent, notification of any change in status resulting in loss of entitlement to small entity status prior to paying, or at the time of paying, the earliest of the issue fee or any maintenance fee due after the date on which status as a small entity is no longer appropriate. (37 CFR 1.28(b))

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing thereon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

NAME OF PERSON SIGNING Curtis C. ShoupTITLE OF PERSON IF OTHER THAN OWNER President and Chief Executive OfficerADDRESS OF PERSON SIGNING 14400 South San Pedro Street, Gardena, CA 90248SIGNATURE Curtis C. ShoupDATE Nov 14, 1997

ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, the undersigned, Curtis C. Shoup, of 14400 South San Pedro Street, Gardena, CA 90248, has invented a new and useful invention, entitled METHOD OF FABRICATING SECURITY DOOR AND STRUCTURE THEREOF, for which application papers for United States Letter Patent have been executed by them this day; and

WHEREAS, the undersigned verily believe himself to be the original, first and joint inventors of the invention set forth in this application for Letters Patent; and

WHEREAS, the undersigned represents and warrants that he is the sole owner of the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and all Letters Patent granted therefor, and that the same is free and clear of all encumbrances; and

WHEREAS, Columbia Manufacturing Corporation, a California corporation, having an address of 14400 South San Pedro Street, Gardena, California 90248, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention and all Letters Patent granted therefor in the United States and throughout the world;

Now therefore, in consideration of \$10.00 and other valuable consideration paid to the undersigned, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the undersigned does hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over to the said Columbia Manufacturing Corporation, the entire right, title, and interest in and to said invention and all improvements therein and all Letters Patent which may be granted therefore in the United States and throughout the world, including the right to file foreign applications under the provisions of the

International Convention directly in the name of the Assignee.

The undersigned hereby agrees that upon request and without further compensation, but at no expense to the undersigned, he will do all lawful acts, including the execution of papers and the giving of testimony that may be necessary or desirable for obtaining, sustaining, reissuing and renewing United States Letters Patent and foreign Letters Patent for said invention and all improvements therein, and for perfecting and maintaining the title in his successor to said invention and particularly in cases of interference and litigation.

The undersigned hereby authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents in the United States and all foreign countries to issue all Letter Patent based on said above mentioned patent application and all divisions, continuations, continuation-in-part and renewals thereof to the said Columbia Manufacturing Corporation, its successors and assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the undersigned has executed this instrument at Gardena, California, this 14th day of November, 1997.


Curtis C. Shoup